

February 6, 2009

Mr. Gerardo Rios USEPA Region 9 75 Hawthorne Street Air Permits Office (AIR-3) San Francisco, CA 94105

SUBJECT:

ConocoPhillips, Carson (SCAQMD Facility ID: 800362)

De Minimis Significant Title V Permit Revision SCAOMD Reference Application # 487403

Dear Mr. Rios:

The South Coast Air Quality Management District (AQMD) has received and reviewed a Title V application for a De Minimis Significant revision from ConocoPhillips, Carson. This permit revision is to return to service two vessels and designate them as filter vessels for their Gas Oil Hydrodesulfurization Unit.

The AQMD is required under Rule 3005(i) to provide a copy of the proposed permit to the EPA administrator for a 45-day review. As such, a copy of the proposed revision to the existing Title V permit is attached along with our analysis for your review. As agreed with your staff, we are submitting the required documents to the email address R9AirPermits SC@epa.gov.

Please let us know if you have problems with downloading the above referenced documents, or if you would like hard copies of any of the documents.

If you have any questions or wish to provide comments regarding this proposed permit, please contact Ms. Cynthia Carter (909) 396-2431 (ccarter@aqmd.gov) or Mr. Paul Park at (909) 396-2568 (ppark@aqmd.gov).

Sincerely,

Jay Chen, P.E.

Senior Manager

Refinery and Waste Management Permitting

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